

# St. John the Apostle Parish

January 14, 2018 \* Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



*515 Broadway, Brandenburg, KY 40108*

Office: 270-422-2196 Fax: 270-422-2471 Convent: 270-422-4935 Website: [stjohnonline.org](http://stjohnonline.org)

Meade County Catholic Radio: WLHN-LP 95.3FM / website: [meadecountycatholicradio.com](http://meadecountycatholicradio.com)

Office Hours 8:00am - 4:30pm Monday through Thursday; Closed on Friday

Bulletin Deadline: Thursday's 4:00pm (9 days prior to publication)

Weekend Masses: Saturday Vigil 4:30pm & Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am

Weekday Masses: Monday thru Thursday 8:00am

## Parish Staff

<b>Pastor</b>	Rev. Kevin J. Bryan
<b>Deacon</b>	Mike Jones, Ed.D. <a href="mailto:jacksonhewitt@bbtel.com">jacksonhewitt@bbtel.com</a>
<b>Bookkeeper</b>	Valerie Greenwell <a href="mailto:stjohnbkkpr@bbtel.com">stjohnbkkpr@bbtel.com</a>
<b>Director of Lifelong Formation</b>	Monica Lucas <a href="mailto:mlucas@bbtel.com">mlucas@bbtel.com</a>
<b>Secretary</b>	Kris Mattingly <a href="mailto:kbmatt@bbtel.com">kbmatt@bbtel.com</a>
<b>Maintenance/Janitor</b>	Mike Harley
<b>Director of Music Ministry</b>	Derek Crafton <a href="mailto:derek.crafton@meade.kyschools.us">derek.crafton@meade.kyschools.us</a>
<b>High School Youth Parent Volunteers</b>	Kim DeVries <a href="mailto:Kim.johndevries@outlook.com">Kim.johndevries@outlook.com</a> Alison Beavin <a href="mailto:alison.beavin@twc.com">alison.beavin@twc.com</a>

## Welcome Visitors!

We hope you enjoy your visit with us.  
If you are looking for a home church,  
we want you to know you are most welcome.  
If you would like to join, please call or  
come into the parish office.

## DEVOTIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

The **Rosary** will be prayed for Vocations on Saturday's at 4:05 pm and Sunday's at 8:35 am.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Saturday's 3:30 - 4:00 pm; Monday's 7 -9pm

## SACRAMENTS

**Baptisms:** Preparation is required, 3rd Sunday of the month at 12:15pm, call the office to register.

**Confirmation:** Preparation is required, please call the office for more information.

**Reconciliation:** Saturday's 3:30pm or by appointment.

**Anointing of the Sick:** If you are sick, homebound or in the hospital & would like Father to visit, please call the office.

**Marriage:** 6 month preparation required, please call the office.

## Parish Pastoral Council

Ed Kopp - Chairperson ([elk868890@gmail.com](mailto:elk868890@gmail.com))  
Mike LaFrance - Vice-Chair ([lafrancem@pga.com](mailto:lafrancem@pga.com))  
Jeff Kendrick ([jefferykendrick@gmail.com](mailto:jefferykendrick@gmail.com))  
Anita Sullivan ([dasullivan61@gmail.com](mailto:dasullivan61@gmail.com))  
Suzy Ashcraft ([get2suzy@yahoo.com](mailto:get2suzy@yahoo.com))  
Renee Miller ([renjenchris@gmail.com](mailto:renjenchris@gmail.com))

If you wish to address any concerns in regards to the parish,  
please speak to one of the council members.



## Mass Intentions for the week of January 15

Day:	Time:	Intention:
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Our Parish Family
Tuesday	8:00 a.m.	Charlie Jenkins
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	James Wilkins Sr., Virginia Barr Edwin & Margaret Barr
Thursday	8:00 a.m.	
Saturday	4:30 p.m.	Virginia W. Barr
Sunday	9:00 a.m.	Stephen Zanone
Sunday	11:00 a.m.	Nick Ford

**Altar Flowers:** Remember or honor a loved one, family member or soldier. Call the parish office to schedule your weekend (\$50.00 donation)

### NEXT WEEKEND'S SCRIPTURE READINGS



JONAH 3:1-5, 10  
PSALM 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9  
1 CORINTHIANS 7:29-31  
MARK 1:14-20

### Marriage Moment

"Speak, for your servant is listening." (1 Samuel 3:18) A common complaint among couples is, "you're not listening to me." When is listening hard for you? If you're busy or tired, ask for a better time. Is there conversation you've been avoiding?

### Ministers for weekend of Jan. 20 & 21, 2018

	4:30 pm	9:00 am	11:00 am Gather Teachers-Iris
Eucharistic Ministers	Deacon Mike *Jeannine & Taylor Beck, Amanda Brown, Maggie Love, Frank Lucas & Volunteer	Deacon Mike *Rodney Pickering, Andrea Pike-Goff, Anne Marie Warren, Volunteer, Volunteer & Volunteer	Deacon Mike YOUTH
Lectors	Tom Beck & Leslie Jenkins	Ed & Analyn Kopp	YOUTH
Servers	Braden & Caden Collins	Jordan Stull & Volunteer	Anthony Flick & Lucas Hail
Hospitality	Marion & Rosalie Whelan	Kevin & Rhonda Roberts	YOUTH
Ushers	Danny Love, Jimmy Medley, Volunteer & Volunteer	John Proctor, Volunteer, Volunteer & Volunteer	YOUTH
Gift Bearers	Marlene Cook & Ann Duncan	Ed & Analyn Kopp	YOUTH

If you are unable to minister as scheduled, please call someone on the list (list is available in the vestibule) to cover for you.



**Youth Ministry:** (grades 7-12) WEEKLY meetings from 5:45-6:45pm in room A.  
**2018 Youth Masses:** January 21, February 18 & March 17



Please contact Monica Lucas, at the parish office, for more info regarding Religious & Adult Education opportunities.

**Lenten Scripture Study:** We will offer a 6 week Little Rock Scripture Study during Lent. It will run the last 2 weeks of February & all of March, on Tuesday evenings. (6:30-8) The cost is \$5. Please let Monica if you are interested by February 1st.

**Vocations information:** The Archdiocesan Vocations office will present a program for our 6, 7, and 8<sup>th</sup> graders on February 28, at 7 pm, in church. Adults are also welcome to attend.

Tuesday's (Sept. - April)	6:30-8:30pm	RCIA	Room B
Wednesday's (Aug. - April)	7:00 pm	Religious Ed (grades 1-12)	Education Center
Sunday's (year round)	10:00 am	Men's & Women's Bible Study	Education Ctr Room A/Cafeteria
Sunday's (Aug. - June)	11:00 am	Children's Church (Gather)	Education Center

### Weekend of Dec. 30 & 31, 2017

\$8,584.66

Envelopes \$8,277.00 / EFT \$0.00 / Loose \$307.66

Weekly offering to make expenses **\$6,500.00**

Total collection needed to make expenses for fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 **\$162,919.72**

ARE YOU NEW TO THE PARISH?  
DID YOUR ADDRESS CHANGE?  
ARE YOU A YOUNG ADULT NO LONGER IN SCHOOL?

If you are new to the parish, please introduce yourself to Father Kevin & fill out your Welcome packet. For changes, registration cards are available at the doors of Church or by contacting the parish office. Return them in the collection basket or to the parish office.

### Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Samuel 3:9-10

"When Samuel went to sleep in his place, the LORD came and stood there, calling out as before: Samuel, Samuel! Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening.""

Today we hear Samuel respond eagerly, "Here I am" each time the Lord calls him. A steward must be listening for the call of God in one's life and be ready to respond like Samuel "Speak, for your servant is listening."

# PARISH NEWS

**500 Club Winner for  
Jan. 2, 2018 - #56 Colleen Ledford**

**Tickets are still available, contact the parish office.**

**Closed:** the Parish office will be closed Jan. 15 in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday.

**Opportunities for Life 2nd Collection:** is next weekend & is a life affirming ministry of the Bishops of KY. The OFL ministry has a 24/7 hotline to offer confidential, non-judgmental emotional support & info to those affected by an untimely pregnancy. For more info about OFL, call 888-496-3638.

**Ministry Schedule:** The Feb. & March Ministers schedules have been mailed/emailed. Reminder to all who minister: please call someone to take your place if you are unable to be there.

**"Souper" Bowl Sunday:** St. John's Youth Ministry would like to invite everyone to join them after Mass in the cafeteria on Feb. 4th for a variety of homemade soups, sandwiches & desserts. Donations will benefit our Youth Ministry.

**Red Cross Blood Drive:** TUESDAY, Feb. 6th from 3-7pm in the cafeteria. Bring your friends & give the gift of life.

## January Happenings

Jan. 16	10am	Sew & Sews	Cafeteria
Jan. 20	6pm	Deep Winter Classic	Cafeteria
Tuesday's	12:30pm	Senior Citizen Game Day	Cafeteria

## With Deepest Sympathy

Our prayers & condolences to the family & friends of

**Ed Turner**

husband of Diana,  
father of Nathan & Nadia

May the love of God and the peace of  
the Lord Jesus Christ bless and console you.

## Practice Makes Catholic - Did you know?

The Christmas season is over & the decorations are down.

The Feast of the Epiphany & the Baptism of Jesus have been celebrated. The wise men came in search of a king & found a babe laying in a manger. Jesus presented himself for baptism to a man dressed in animal skins & eating locusts in the desert.

Things are not always as we expect them to be. There is much discussion on the posturing of the priest during the celebration of the Mass. We must remember that the Eucharist is the center of our worship & the balance is tradition & preference. We find Christ wherever He is presented to us. The building & the rituals should never be a deterrent from seeking His true presence in our hearts.

Coming together to worship is what &  
why we do what we do.



## Pray for the sick of our Parish

Mildred Barr, Bennie Bruner, Mary Crutcher, Clay Fackler, David H. Fackler, Donna Fellmy, Sonny & Claire Frantz, Larry & Joan Gagel, Mary Greenwell, Tommy Hardesty, Linda King, Rita Klem, Mary Ann Lancaster, Rose LaTondress, Marvin & Mildred Mattingly, Paul Mattingly, Vance Menefee, Marie Padgett, Kathleen Powell, Flossie Powell, Becky Stiff, Lucy Tate Stupak, Bonnie Szwed, Charles & Rita Thompson, Rose Whelan



If you know a parishioner who is sick, homebound or in the hospital & would like Father Kevin to visit, please call the Parish Office.

Please remember to call and remove yourself or your loved one when they are no longer ill or in need of prayers. Thank you.

## Community News

**Opportunities for Life Volunteers Need YOU:** OFL volunteers offer hope, compassion, options counseling & resources to callers who find the courage to seek help. Call 888-496-3638 to learn more about this ministry & the upcoming training workshops.

**Meade Co. Clothes Closet & Food Pantry:** we will be collecting the **weekend of Feb. 17/18** St. John's is asked to supply the following: cereal, toilet paper & coffee. Items can be left in the Church Narthex or brought to the office. This is a very worthwhile service in our community. Please help us support it.

## St. John's Deep Winter Classic Lasagna Dinner, Ministry Fair & Texas Hold'em

January 20th 6pm

**Raffles \$2.00 per chance**

**Cash - 1st \$300; 2nd \$200; 3rd \$100**

**Quilt** (donated by St. John's Sew & Sews)

**Raffle tickets are available at the doors of Church**

Please return your raffle ticket money & any unsold tickets to the parish office.

**Donations are needed!**

**Dessert for the meal** (can be pie, cookies, brownies, cake, etc.)  
and **Homemade dessert for the Dessert Auction**  
(please put all desserts in disposable dishes)

1/2 of the proceeds from the cash raffle will go to St. John's Youth Ministry with all remaining proceeds to go to the Narthex addition.

## HEALTH AND WELLNESS ACTIVITIES

Monday - Thursday

9-11am & 2-4pm Silent Walkers Gym

Tuesday evening's - September thru April (call if interested)

6:45pm Silent Walkers Gym

Every other month - Tuesday, February 6th

3:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive Cafeteria

All parishioners are invited to help make this a dynamic ministry.  
Please join us for any of these programs.

CHURCH NAME AND ADDRESS

St. John the Apostle Church #381850  
515 Broadway  
Brandenburg, KY 40108

TELEPHONE

270 422-2196

CONTACT PERSON

Kris Mattingly

EMAIL: [kbmatt@bbtel.com](mailto:kbmatt@bbtel.com)

SOFTWARE

MSPublisher 2013  
Adobe Acrobat DC  
Windows 7

SUNDAY DATE OF PUBLICATION

January 14, 2018

NUMBER OF PAGES SENT

1through 4

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS